

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
EASTERN DIVISION**

**IN RE BIG LOTS, INC.
SHAREHOLDER LITIGATION**

Case No. 2:12-cv-00445-MHW-NMK

JUDGE MICHAEL H. WATSON

**MAGISTRATE JUDGE NORAH
MCCANN KING**

NOTICE OF RELATED LITIGATION

Nominal Defendant Big Lots, Inc. ("Big Lots") respectfully advises the Court that a related derivative action, captioned *Alan Brosz v. Steven S. Fishman, et al.*, Case No. 1:13-cv-00753-SJB-KLL, was filed in the United States District Court for the Southern District of Ohio, Western Division, on October 18, 2013. Big Lots has filed in the *Brosz v. Fishman* case a notice of the pendency of this consolidated related litigation.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

A true copy of this notice was filed through the Court's CM/ECF system on October 23, 2013, and will be served on counsel by operation of the Court's CM/ECF system.

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